

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF: Frederic BEUN et al
SERIAL NO: 10/589,837
FILED: August 15, 2006
TITLE: METHOD FOR MATCHING A RECEPTION
TERMINAL WITH A PLURALITY OF ACCESS
CONTROL CARDS
GROUP: 2431
CONFIRMATION NO: 2806
EXAMINER: Michael R. Vaughan

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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SIR:

This Preliminary Amendment is being filed concurrently with the filing of the RCE for the above application. Applicant requests an extension of time for responding to this office communication for a period of one month, extending until October 6, 2010, with any required fees withdrawn from our Deposit Account No. 504581.

Please amend the present application as follows: